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Dear Mr. Rehder:

The U.S. Department of Energy Rocky Flats Field Office is pleased to transmit the *Draft Proposed Action Memorandum for the East Trenches Plume* for your review and comment. We have incorporated comments in this revision from your agency staff and from the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment. The public comment period begins on December 23, 1998 and ends on January 22, 1999.

We appreciate your continued support in meeting our accelerated project schedules. If you should have any technical questions regarding this transmittal, please contact me at (303) 966-5918 or Norma I. Castaneda at (303) 966-4226.

Sincerely,

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